

Serial No. 08/847,967

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PATENTAMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the following replacement paragraph(s) for the previously-pending versions of such paragraph(s). The replacement paragraph(s) are marked-up to show changes from the previously-pending versions thereof.

**\*\* Replace the title at page 1 with the following replacement title:**

**THE COMBINATORIAL SYNTHESIS OF INORGANIC OR COMPOSITE NOVEL  
MATERIALS**

**\*\* Replace the paragraph at page 1, lines 1-10 with the following replacement paragraph:**

-- This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/327,513, filed October 18, 1994 (~~Attorney Docket No. 14939-000400~~), and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,985,356. This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/483,043, filed May 8, 1995 (~~Attorney Docket No. 014939-000410~~), and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,776,359, which itself is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/327,513, filed October 18, 1994 and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,985,356. This application is also a continuation-in-part of PCT Application No. ~~WO~~ US 95/13278 filed October 18, 1995 (~~Attorney Docket No. 14939-000400PC~~), the and now published as WO 96/11878, which itself claims priority to U.S. Serial No. 08/327,513, filed October 18, 1994 and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,985,356. ~~The~~ the complete disclosures of each of the aforementioned applications ~~which~~ are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes. This application is also related to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/841,423 entitled "System And Methods For The Combinatorial Synthesis of Novel Materials," filed concurrently with this application on April 22, 1997 (~~Attorney Docket No. 016703-00060~~), and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,045,671, the complete disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference for all purposes. --

[NO FURTHER AMENDMENTS THIS PAGE]